



U.S. Department of Justice

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January 19, 2022

Application GRANTED. The parties shall file a status update letter by **February 18, 2022**. The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate ECF No. 11. SO ORDERED.

VIA ECF

Hon. Jesse M. Furman
United States District Judge
United States District Court
40 Foley Square
New York, New York 10007

January 20, 2022

Re: *Altairi, et al. v. Garland, et al.*, No. 21 Civ. 9413 (JMF)

Dear Judge Furman:

This Office represents the government in this action in which the plaintiffs seek an order compelling U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (“USCIS”) to reaffirm their Petition for Alien Relative (Form I-130). I write to respectfully request, with the plaintiffs’ consent, that the Court stay further proceedings (including the date for the government’s response to the complaint)¹ *sine die* given USCIS’s recent reaffirmation of the Form I-130. The parties are discussing the status of the case in light of USCIS’s action and respectfully request that the matter be stayed while those discussions are ongoing. The parties respectfully submit that the requested stay is in the interests of efficiency and conservation of judicial and party resources. If the Court grants the request, the parties will file a status letter no later than February 18, 2022.

I thank the Court for its consideration of this letter.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ The government’s response currently is due January 20, 2022. I apologize for making this request one day before the response is due; however, it is based on very recent developments.